Loftin, Isaac; 48; May 1850; North-South Dock Street, First East of Fifteenth Street [1900 Directory]/1513 Dock Street [1900 Census] (Owned home/Mortgaged free); Huckster; Spouse, Elizabeth Loftin (Washwoman).

Property Purchased:

• Purchased with Mary Jane Polite; middle parts of lots 3, 4, and 5 in Block 488; August 25, 1898; \$50. The Loftins had a life estate of on the property. Polite was to received the property after their deaths (DB 30, p. 585).

Property Sold:

• Sold with Mary Jane Polite; middle parts of lots 3, 4, and 5, in Block 488; June 25, 1901; \$200; Buyer: Asa A. Brown (DB 30, p. 588)

Loss or Gain:

+\$150

Mallett, William P.; 608 (1897) or 610 (1900) Campbell Street; Driver (1897) and Drayman (1900); Spouse, Jane/Janie Mallett; 5 children.

Property Purchased:

• 25 acres located in Cape Fear Township; March 18, 1891; \$25 (DB 7, p. 28).

Property Sold:

• 25 acres located in Cape Fear Township; February 25, 1904; \$75; Buyer: Louvenia Allen (DB 40, p. 252).

Loss or Gain:

+\$50

Mask, Dr. Thomas R.; 36, October 2, 1863—February 19, 1911; 510 South Seventh Street (Owned Home/ Mortgage Free); Physician, Pharmacist, and Businessman (12 North Second Street [1897] and 510 South Seventh Street [1900]; Spouse, Carrie T. (Nash) Mask; 2 children; Assistant Surgeon, Third Regiment, North Carolina Troops, 1898; Member of Free Love Lode, Odd Fellows Lodge, and St. Luke's AME Church. Miscellaneous:

- Medical degree from Leonard Medical School, Shaw University in 1888; First Spouse, Georgia (Simmons) Mask, d. January 6, 1894. He built a two-story ten room home at 409 Walnut Street in 1906.
- In his obituary, the *Morning Star* of February 23, 1911 stated that the doctor was "highly esteemed by whites and coloreds alike." Mask's funeral at St. Luke's Methodist Church was attended by blacks and whites. Dr. Charles F. Meserve, president of Shaw University, assisted in conducting the funeral service.

Property Purchased:

- Part of the eastern part of lots 2 and 3 in Block 91; September 3, 1895; \$460 (DB 17, p. 403).
- Part of the middle of lot 1 in Block 89; January 1, 1896; \$275 (Block 17, p. 5)
- Part of lots 1 and 2 in Block 92; May 9, 1898; \$440 (DB 22, p. 687)